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In Re Application of:

Uhlik, et al.

Application No.: 09/317,802

Filed: May 24, 1999

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
EMERGENCY CALL CHANNEL
ALLOCATION

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Response

Sir:

This response is provided in response to an Office Action mailed on October 16, 2001.

In light of the following amendments and subsequent remarks, reconsideration of the above-captioned application is respectfully requested.

PENDING CLAIMS

- 1 35. (Amended) In a wireless local loop subscriber unit, a method facilitating a telephone
- 2 call comprising:
- 3 determining whether a communication channel is available at a servicing communication
- 4 station to accommodate the telephone call;